

MITCHELL CASE NOT YET SETTLED

Heresy Decision Held in Abeysance by Bishops.

VOTE WILL BE VERY CLOSE

Fate Now Depends on Resolution Crystallizing Sentiment of Board Submitted for Ballot.

All through the afternoon and up to a late hour last night the Methodist bishops, in whose hands rested the fate of Prof. H. Mitchell, of Boston, in confirming or rejecting his admission to a chair at the Boston University, were in session at the Foundry Church. It was expected that a vote on Prof. Mitchell's case would be taken during the afternoon, but as the day wore on and the discussion became more general, it was seen that a decision was not likely to be reached at that time.

Not Ready to Talk.

Late in the evening the board of bishops decided to give out the following statement:

"We are not at liberty to give out the action of the bishops in the Mitchell case until the action has time to reach the trustees of the Boston University."

"W. F. M. A. L. L. I. E. U. D. J. GOODSELL."

In view of the fact that at the last semi-annual conference of the bishops, held at Louisville, Ky., six months ago, Prof. Mitchell's nomination was not confirmed, the impression prevailed that a majority of the bishops were opposed to his confirmation at this time. This fact, it is said, weighed heavily against his chances of confirmation at this session, as it was generally accepted that the bishops would not reverse their decision made at the Louisville meeting.

The intention of the bishops, however, was to show Prof. Mitchell a spirit of absolute fairness, and this desire was strengthened when it was made known that Prof. Mitchell had requested that his book "The World Before Solomons" be withdrawn from publication. This book, it is said, had formed the principal ground on which the heresy charge against Prof. Mitchell was based, and with its removal Prof. Mitchell's friends in the conference had greater opportunity to press their claims for his confirmation.

Decisive Resolution.

In the afternoon it was decided to appoint a committee consisting of three members of the conference to draft a resolution which would crystallize the opinions of the entire body, and then a vote could be taken on this resolution. The committee was composed of Bishops H. W. Warren, of Denver; T. B. Neely, of South America, and Earl Cranston, of the District of Columbia. It was understood that two members of this committee, namely, Bishops Neely and Cranston, were opposed to Prof. Mitchell's confirmation, while Bishop Warren was strongly in its favor. The resolution was drafted and then reported to the conference for reading.

No Vote Yet.

On the subject of the voting all the bishops were non-committal.

Bishop McCabe was the first to make his appearance from the conference room. As he came out he said: "No vote yet, boys. I have to go home. I left my vote in the room, but what action they will take finally I cannot say. The voting is sure to be close, and which ever way it goes it will be a small majority."

The reason for delaying the announcement of the result of the action was to give the trustees of the Boston University the courtesy of first hearing the official vote of the bishops. It was said, however, that the vote had been in favor of confirmation it would have been given out immediately.

The members of the board held a special session last night and will, it is thought, be able to adjourn their meetings today on account of the volume of work accomplished at the three meetings yesterday.

SHE FELL OVER PICTURES AND SUES GAS COMPANY

The alleged misplacing of a bundle of pictures on the floor of the apartment of Annie G. Bell, an employee of the Washington Gas Light Company, has resulted in a suit by her against the company to recover \$10,000 damages for alleged personal injuries.

The plaintiff declares that an agent of the gas company left the pictures in such a position that she stumbled over them and was injured. Tucker and Kenyon are counsel for the plaintiff.

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The latest communication of this character was received by the Civil Service Commission Saturday. The letter was postmarked Frankford, Mo., and the inscription read: "U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C."

On the inside was the following letter, and on one corner of the letter was pasted a newspaper clipping which read:

"President Looking for a Secretary of the Treasury."

"Washington, D. C., Oct. 7—WANTED—A financier of acknowledged ability to take charge of the United States Treasury Department. Must not be identified with any of the large trusts. No candidates for the Presidency need apply. All communications confidential. Address, T. R. White House, D. C."

Here is the letter:

"Joelton, Tenn., Oct. 24, 1905."

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"In reply to yours of October 17, will ask of you to excuse me, for not men-

tioned the position ask for. You will find enclosed a specimen of the advertisement, which if this position is filled, I hope that you will favor me with a position of typewriting. I do not understand shorthand. I will be willing to work for \$600. Four hundred and fifty dollars, per year, minimum and raise every four months. Thanking you for your kindness, and appreciating your quick reply, I remain, Very respectfully yours,

The writer of the letter was informed that there would be no examination for typewriter and stenographer until next January.

NEW PROVISION MADE FOR FOREIGN PENSIONERS

Pension Commissioner Warner has just approved a plan by which the 5,000 pensioners living in foreign countries will hereafter receive their pensions through the various American consular officers.

Heretofore it has been the custom to mail the vouchers to certain private agencies to be paid to "foreign pensioners."

PENSION OFFICE CLERKS CAN NOW EAT IN PEACE

Encroachment of Outside Patrons Curtailed by New Order of Superintendent Lockwood.

The order issued last Friday by Colonel Lockwood, superintendent of the Pension Office building, relative to the conduct of the lunch room, and setting apart one half of the lunch room for the women and the other half for the men clerks, was with the hearty approval of the Commissioner of Pensions.

The order was the outcome of complaint made that the lunch room was nearly always crowded at the noon hour by people from the outside, and the clerks, for whose convenience the lunch room was conducted, were often forced to stand, and many of the women clerks had their dresses ruined through the carelessness of outside patrons of the lunch room.

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TIGER'S ACTIVITY AFFECTS CAMPAIGN

Tammany Takes No Chances in Coming Election.

HEARST TIDE STILL FLOWS

Candidates Address Meetings in Many Parts of the City—Odds on McClellan Fall.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The man who has the support of the New York newspapers generally gets defeated, and so this year most of the papers are not supporting anybody in the main contest, that for mayor. Almost all of them are supporting Jerome; almost none are supporting McClellan, and only the American is supporting Hearst.

The newspapers, however, are doing McClellan whatever damage they can by attacking Tammany. Their vicious assaults on Murphy and his organization for trying to destroy Jerome are certain to reflect also against McClellan, though to what extent they will be felt in the vote is uncertain.

No Walk-Over for McClellan.

That McClellan has no walk-over, and that any of the three leading candidates may be winner, is plainer today than it has ever been before. The expected ebbing of the Hearst tide has not been apparent as yet; but the added activity and earnestness of Tammany has made itself felt. Tomorrow Tammany is to have its canvass of the city by districts completed, and the returns will be given out promptly and in detail if they presage a Tammany victory. If not, there will probably be some generalizations without detail.

Tammany's predictions are generally reliable, when they are official and detailed; Tammany's claims are different. So it is that politicians are awaiting the announcement from the "Hall" with the greatest interest.

All on Stump.

All the nominees for mayor were on the stump last night, also District Attorney Jerome, and each was received at the various halls visited with rousing cheers. Candidate Hearst made his first political visit to the East Side, and addressed six indoor meetings, and one in the open air. Altogether from 15,000 to 20,000 persons heard him.

Mayor McClellan spoke in the Manhattan Casino and also at two church fairs. In his Casino address the mayor asked the people to sink partisanship and rally to the support of the Democratic ticket.

Ivins Invades Queens.

Mr. Ivins, the Republican candidate, invaded the borough of Queens. He traveled about forty miles in an automobile and delivered four speeches. He concluded his speaking for the night by an address at the Grand Street Theater, at the conclusion of the performance there.

District Attorney Jerome addressed a gathering of about 4,000 persons at Salzer's Harlem Casino. As on previous nights, Mr. Jerome attacked "political bosses" and "boss rule."

The odds on Mayor McClellan fell yesterday to 2 to 1, and Jerome became a favorite at 10 to 6.

FOOTBALL BARRED.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Oct. 31.—Because of the roughness of the sport, football will not be played any more by students of the Rutgers College Preparatory School. Dr. E. H. Payson, head master of the school, has decided to stop the game.

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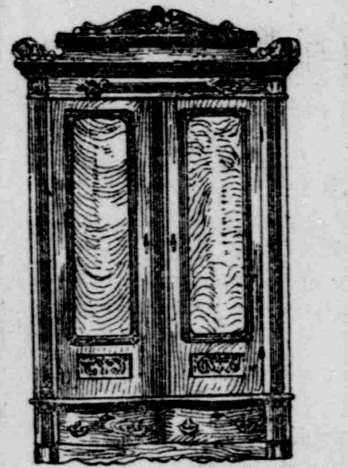
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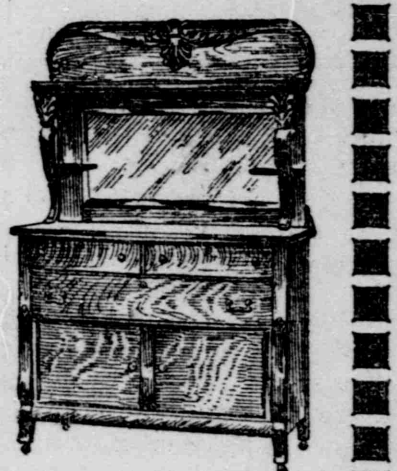


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White House Violet Perfume, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
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Atkinson's Violet Perfume, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Pinaud's Brise de Violette Perfume, usually \$1.50; tomorrow, \$1.39.
Piver's Safrano Perfume, usually 75c; tomorrow, 65c.
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Vee-o-lay Ambre Royal Perfume, usually 75c; tomorrow, 65c.
Vee-o-lay Citrine Perfume, usually 75c; tomorrow, 65c.
Le Grand Oris Perfume, usually 75c; tomorrow, 65c.
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Perfume, usually \$1.50; tomorrow, \$1.39.
Crown Violet Perfume, usually 75c; tomorrow, 65c.
Hudnut's Best Perfume; tomorrow, 50c.
Tooth Brushes, warranted; usually 25c; tomorrow, 10c.
Dandine Hair Tonic, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Java Rice Powder, usually 25c; tomorrow, 15c.

Sheffield's Tooth Paste, usually 50c; tomorrow, 15c.
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream, usually 50c; tomorrow, 25c.
La Blanche Face Powder, usually 50c; tomorrow, 25c.
Pinaud's Hair Tonic, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Dr. Lyca's Tooth Powder, usually 25c; tomorrow, 15c.
Pond's Extract, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Mme. Yule's Complexion Cream, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Listerine (Lambert's), usually \$1.00; tomorrow, 50c.
Park & Tilford's Bay Rum, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Pinaud's Hair Tonic, usually \$1.00; tomorrow, 75c.
Kirk's Tar Soap, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap, usually 15c; tomorrow, 9c.
Palais Royal Castile Soap, usually 10c; tomorrow, 7c.
Williams' Famous Shaving Soap, usually 10c; tomorrow, 5c.
Woodbury's Facial Cream, usually 25c; tomorrow, 15c.
Woodbury's Facial Soap, usually 25c; tomorrow, 15c.
Calder's Tooth Powder, usually 25c; tomorrow, 15c.
Orrin's Violet Sachet, usually 50c; tomorrow, 35c.
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